

Statewide LD Policy Planning Group Recommendations

Screening Questions at Intake

All participants entering any adult education program should be asked the following questions, preferably at intake:

- 1. Do you think that you have trouble learning? If so, describe the trouble you have had with learning. How do you think this affects your life today?**
- 2. Have you ever had any special help / classes when you were in school? Have you ever had special education services? If yes, please describe.**
- 3. Do you have any medical conditions, chronic illnesses, or a history of head trauma? Do you have any vision or hearing problems?**
- 4. Is there anyone in your family who has trouble learning?**

If any learner answers 'yes' to any of the questions above, it is recommended that a program follow the LD Assessment, Placement and Instruction Pathway for Native Speakers of English. It is also recommended that any staff conducting student intake should have completed a comprehensive awareness training on learning disabilities.